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## LATE NEWS.

William Lloyd Garrison, the veteran abolitionist, is said to be dying.

It is expected that the President will veto the legislative bill on Monday.

Chief Justice Waite and Judge Bond are holding court in Charleston, and ex-Gov. Chamberlain, and Mr. Corbin are there as counsel for the United States.

The Governor of Kansas denies that the people of that state are hostile to the emigration of colored people to it. He says the stories are gotten up by persons interested in stopping the exodus of the colored people "from their Egypt to a land of freedom."

The silver bill will probably have passed before we go to press in some form. It is difficult to ascertain at present, on account of the irregularity of the amendments, what the bill is. Probably it has been somewhat improved in its progress through the House. Undertaking to legislate a fictitious value into silver bullion is a doubtful business anyhow.

A new bill is to be introduced to the House providing modes for regulating the election of President and Vice President. It provides that in case of controversies as to the election they shall be decided by the highest judicial authority of the state, whose decision shall be final, subject only to the vote of both Houses of Congress.

The Hon. William Hunter who has served in the State Department for 50 years, and is known to all who have had business in that Department, received a most flattering testimonial of regard on last Thursday. He is now Second Assistant Secretary of State. Early in the morning the main corridor leading to his office and the desks in it were loaded with flowers, and he received a perfect deluge of felicitations, from the President in person, Secretaries, Foreign Ministers, &c. It was his fiftieth day of service, and the old Nestor of diplomacy was overwhelmed with congratulations and tendered a complimentary dinner.

The Next Presidency—Secretary a candidate—His Reasons for Refusing to run for Governor of Ohio.

The New York Herald says, the following letter addressed by Secretary Sherman to a prominent war Democrat in this city, who was associated with Mr. Sherman in the Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth Congresses, forms an interesting addition to the political history of the day. It has been stated in some quarters that Mr. Sherman was anxious to secure the nomination for Governor of Ohio, if he could have been well assured of success, and that doubt as to the result of this year's election in that state made him reluctantly abandon this idea. The letter sets forth very frankly the reasons why the Secretary ignored the effort to make him a candidate this year. It also formally concedes the fact that Mr. Sherman is an aspirant for the Presidential nomination of the Republican party in 1880, and sounds what would be the keynote of the campaign in case the Secretary's name should be presented to the country:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, May 10, 1879.  
"DEAR SIR:—Your personal letter of the 6th is received. I assure you that, though very much hurried while I was in New York, I would have made an appointment of time and place to see you, but there was no address upon your card and I did not know where to send you word."

"The movement to start me as a candidate for Governor of Ohio was merely sensational, and while it would have been very heartily responded to in Ohio and no doubt would be successful in the sense that I could be elected Governor, it would clearly be wrong for me to entertain it. So many persons are interested in the continued success of refunding and resumption that it would seem like a desertion of a public duty, and I would never be forgiven if any hindrance should occur in the way of either."

"What I would aspire to in case public opinion should decide to make me a candidate for President would be to unite in co-operation with the Republican party all the national elements of the country that contributed to or aided in any way to the successful vindication of national authority during the war. I would do this, not for the purpose of irritating the south or opposing them in any way, but to assert and maintain the supremacy of national authority to the full extent of all the powers conferred by the constitution. This, as I understand it, is the Jacksonian as well as the Republican view of national powers."

"You see my general ideas would lead me to lean greatly upon the war Democrats and soldiers in the service who have been influenced by political events since the war to withhold support from the Republican party."

"The true issue for 1880 is national supremacy in national matters, honest money and an honest dollar."

Very truly yours,  
JOHN SHERMAN."

There is a deadly fever at Port au Prince in Hayti, and nobody knows what it is or whether it is not epidemic.

The Mississippi Valley Immigration Company is the title of a new New Orleans organization, having a "proposed capital of \$100,000," and for its object the importation of Chinese labor to supply the places of the "exodus" freedmen.

The disease which has broken out in the Caucasus proves fatal in twenty-four hours. In Derby, which contains 150 houses, seventy persons died. In Medivricheni, with 200 houses, there are 100 persons dead. Mortality elsewhere is on the same scale.

NAT MOOR POST OFFICE, GLADEN COUNTY.—We have received information that some of the white people in the neighborhood of the above post-office have organized a club and made threats against certain colored men and &c., of the fact that the colored men are witnesses in the United States Court against certain white men for violating the United States laws. We have the names of these white men who term themselves kuklux for the purpose of intimidation, and we advise them to disburse at once. If one of these colored men referred to above is hurt, the offenders shall be punished to the fullest extent of the law. We have all the names of the organization, and of those who have been making threats &c. We advise the colored men to use no language that is calculated to bring on disturbance, when they are placed on the witness stand to tell the whole truth, the law will protect them.

To the Editor of the Wilmington Post.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., May 19, 1879.

Dear Sir:—I am not in the habit of writing for the press, but thinking that a word or two from this section of the state, might be interesting to the numerous readers of your valuable paper, I take up the quill to give you the local news. The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of North Carolina, convened at this place on Friday the 13th inst., and remained in session for three days. It was composed of a fine and elegant looking body of men. On Wednesday evening O. B. Busbee, Esq., of Raleigh, delivered an address in the Baptist church, on Odd Fellowship to a very large and appreciative audience. Mr. Busbee is a fluent and impressive speaker, and won for himself and the Order he represented, the hearty commendation of all those who heard his address. Mr. Levy G. Bagley, of Raleigh, was elected Grand Worthy Master of the Order, for the ensuing year.

On Wednesday the 14th inst. the 63rd annual Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of North Carolina met at St. John's Church in this place. The Rt. Rev. Thomas Atkinson, Bishop, and the Rt. Rev. Theodore B. Lyman, Assistant Bishop of the Diocese being present. During the week and on the following Sunday Divine services were held in St. John's and St. Joseph's Churches, and in Christ Church at Rockfish. On Thursday evening Bishop Lyman preached to a large congregation of colored people at St. Joseph's (colored) Church, and confirmed two persons. On Sunday night Bishop Atkinson preached to one of the largest congregations that I have ever seen at St. John's Church, and confirmed ten persons. Bishop Atkinson preached also to a large congregation at Rockfish and administered the holy right of confirmation.

Cap. O. H. Blocker, Special Internal Revenue Agent is here, at his old home, receiving the hearty congratulations of his many friends and admirers. The Captain is a true man and efficient officer; the government could not entrust its interest to more safe and efficient hands. A few weeks ago, the papers informed us that Captain Blocker was in New York city, doing good services for the government, and making it rather hot and uncomfortable for those persons who were violating the Internal Revenue law in that section. On Saturday night last Capt. Blocker made a raid upon the violators of the law in Cumberland county, and captured two stills secreted in a swamp about eight miles north-east of this place, and destroyed about a thousand gallons of beer; the proprietors and operators being absent, and were not captured.

I see that you have espoused the cause of the Hon. John Sherman, of Ohio, Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, for the next candidate of the Republican party, for President of the United States. He is one of the true "stalwarts," and in my next I will say a word or so in regard to him, in the meantime I subscribe myself, yours Occasional.

## CITY ITEMS.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. George W. Price, Jr., has taken charge of our city subscription, and is authorized to collect and receipt for monies due the Post for subscriptions. All papers after this issue, which are not paid for, will be promptly stopped.

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

Confederate soldiers, do you respect the men who fought against you, and lost their lives? If so, you can show it on the 30th by strewing their graves with flowers.

New moon on Wednesday last.

Whortleberries are in the market.

Squashes, beans and cucumbers in market last week.

The Criminal Court convenes in this city to-morrow.

Gen. Colston has arrived in the city from his northern lecturing tour.

Examine the programme for Memorial Day, and be in time for the procession.

The Adrian boys had a picnic at the German Gardens on Wednesday night last.

The Hook and Ladder boys had their anniversary supper on Tuesday night last.

St. Stephens A. M. E. congregation intend to erect a handsome brick Church soon.

Mr. Wade H. Harris, has returned to his Concord home, after the last setting of the daily Sun.

Colonel Mabson has a splendid lot of aids, and we may expect good order on Memorial Day, both in the procession and at the Cemetery.

Sampson County Superior Court, Judge Seymour presiding, convenes at Clinton to-morrow.

Misses Burr and James' school had an entertainment at the McGinny hall on Tuesday night last.

Samuel Blossom, of Pender county, had a gold watch and two watch chains stolen on Saturday night, the 17th inst.

Col. O. H. Blocker, Special Agent, raided and captured two illicit whisky distilleries seven miles from Fayetteville on the 17th inst.

There was an excursion party down the river on Wednesday last, at 2 o'clock p. m., under the charge of the Front Street M. E. Church.

Do you love the Union? If so, turn out on the 30th of May and show your respect and love for those who lost their lives in defence of the Union.

The Wilmington Light Infantry company had their annual parade on the 20th inst. They had target shooting at Hilton in the afternoon.

"The Wilmington Sun" a daily Democratic paper which was started in this city some seven months ago, for the want of means suspended on Sunday the 18th inst. Peace to its ashes.

WHITING RIFLES.—The following officers were elected on Monday night: Jas. I. Metts, Captain; C. N. Brewer, First Lieut.; W. A. Barr, Jr. Second Lieut.; J. D. Nutt, Second Lieut.

The Catholic Bishops will hold a consistory at Richmond on the 28th, for the purpose of recommending a suitable person to Pope Leo XIII., for Bishop or Vicar Apostolic of North Carolina.

Don't forget the 30th of May, all should close up business and join in decorating the graves of the brave Union dead; who are resting at the National Cemetery.

MEMORIAL DAY.—The General Committee, we understand, have invited Capt. McRae's company of Light Artillery to turn out on Memorial Day and take part in the services by firing a salute at the Cemetery, &c.

The Camp Meeting of the A. M. E. Church commenced on Thursday at a place about nine miles below the city, the meetings are conducted by Bishop Brown. There will be a very large number go down to-day on the steam boats, which are plying between the city and the grounds.

Capt. W. H. Howe of the Brooklyn Fire Company, Capt. Valentine Howe of the Cape Fear Fire Company and Capt. Nichols of the Brooklyn Bucket Company should be in line by 2:30 o'clock, p. m. on Friday next. We hope to see a full turnout, as these Companies are made up of men who are true to the Union, and appreciate the results of the Union cause during the war.

Sheephead fishing is like measles, its catching.

Strawberries are selling at eight cts. per quart.

Two prisoners are confined in the city prison.

The police made nine arrests during the past week.

St. John's Sunday School had a picnic at Waccamaw Lake on yesterday.

The Fifth Street M. E. Church had an excursion down the river on Tuesday last.

A large quantity of meat, beef and fish were sent out of the market during the week.

The Regatta comes off on the 28th inst. We hope the boys will have a good breeze.

One hundred and fifty-six dollars was paid into the Sheriff's office during the past week.

The schooner rigged yacht, Arietta, is being repaired and is getting her summer clothes.

A kerosene lamp exploded in the residence of Mr. Alexander Sholar on Fifth street, on Wednesday night, damage slight.

There are five horses in the city to be raffled, and one yacht, as soon as the chances can be gotten up.

Five marriage licenses were issued during the past week, one white couple and four to colored couples.

C. W. Alexander of Charlotte has been re-elected Colonel of the Second Regiment of the State Guard.

Six hundred and seventeen dollars and forty-one cents were paid into the City Treasurer during the past week.

Great credit is due Colonel Brink, Chairman of the Committee for the extensive preparations for Memorial Day.

The time for listing your city taxes is most here. Monday, June 2d, being the day appointed for the work to be commenced.

FIRE.—The kitchen on the premises of Mr. Persall corner of Eighth and Princess streets took fire on Friday last—damage slight.

There are two plugs of tobacco rapped in brown paper and stamped with four three cent stamps awaiting an owner at the post-office.

Hon. A. A. McKoy was in this city on Thursday last, looking well. Judge McKoy is a great favorite in this city, and when he is here he is kept busy entertaining his many friends.

Business men of Wilmington, you closed your places of business on the Confederate Memorial Day to show your love and respect for the men who fought against the Union; now you are requested to do the same on the National Memorial Day, and thereby show your love for the American Union.—Will you do it?

REV. DR. WILSON.—At the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church now in session at Louisville, Ky., the Rev. Dr. Wilson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of this city was assigned the important position of Moderator—or presiding officer, which position, it is said by the Louisville papers, he is filling with distinguished dignity and ability. He has been the "stated clerk" of this assembly for 13 years. The honors which have fallen upon the Reverend Doctor in this body of eminent men will be very gratifying to his friends in this city.

FRIDAY, MEMORIAL DAY.—The different school children should be in front of the City Hall at 2:30 p. m. on Memorial Day. We hope to see a full turnout. It is the duty of parents, ministers and teachers to cultivate true patriotism to the Union, love of the Stars and Stripes, reverence for the brave men who fought from 1861 to 1875 for the American Union. Every child in the south should be educated to believe that it is their duty to turn out on every National Memorial Day and take part in the services, decorating the graves with flowers, &c.

THE OPERA.—To say that the benefit given to Miss Kahnweiler on Friday night at the Opera House, was a faultless performance, is not telling the whole truth. Nearly everything in the whole entertainment of these local amateurs was full of that absolute merit, which comes from natural aptitude and careful culture. Admitting what is undoubtedly the fact that Mrs. Kahnweiler is our first artist, no one listening to the performance could help feeling gratification that they lived in a town which contained so much of musical genius and training.

## DECORATION DAY, MAY 30TH, 1879.

### PROGRAMME.

The procession will form in front of the City Hall at 2:45 o'clock, p. m., and move promptly at 3:00 in the following order:

FIRST DIVISION,  
In charge of Assistant Marshals H. E. Scott, John S. W. Eagles, and Lewis Nixon, will form on Third street, with right resting on Market street, in the following order:  
Lieutenant Colonel Geo. L. Mabson and Staff.  
Fifth Battalion Band.  
Howard Light Infantry, under command of Capt. Lewis Smith.  
Hanover Light Infantry, under command of Capt. J. C. Hill.  
Cape Fear Light Infantry, under command of Capt. Fred Hill.  
Comet Star Light Infantry, under command of Capt. Abram Jones.

SECOND DIVISION,  
In charge of Assistant Marshals J. C. Scott, F. W. Foster and David Jacob, will form on Third street, right resting on Princess street, in the following order:  
Ex-Soldiers and Sailors of the Union Army.  
Cape Fear Steam Fire Engine Company, under command of Valentine Howe, Foreman.  
Brooklyn Engine Company, under command of Wm. H. Howe, Foreman.  
Brooklyn Bucket Company, under command of E. Nichols, Foreman.  
Schools in charge of their Teachers.  
Civic Societies.  
Citizens on Foot.  
Citizens in Carriages.  
Mounted Men.

EXERCISES AT NATIONAL CEMETERY  
Dirge, by Rose End Band.  
Prayer, by Rev. J. G. Fry.  
Music by Choir.  
Hon. Joseph C. Abbott, Master of Ceremonies, will introduce the Orator of the Day, Hon. W. P. Canaday, Of Wilmington.  
Music.  
Doxology and Benediction.  
Decorations of Graves.  
Volleys of musketry over the Graves by the Military.  
JOSEPH C. ABBOTT, Master of Ceremonies.

ROOMS NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION,  
WILMINGTON, N. C., May 24.  
The annual service of decorating the graves of the United States soldiers buried in the National Cemetery at this place, will be celebrated on Friday the 30th inst.

The procession will start from the City Hall square at 3 o'clock.  
Services at the Cemetery at 4 o'clock.  
The citizens of Wilmington are all respectfully invited to attend this service; and a partial suspension of business between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock would not only enable many to attend, but be very gratifying to the Committee.  
Respectfully,  
ED. R. BRINK, for General Committee.

THE NORTH AMERICAN REVIEW.—This most ancient of American Reviews comes to our table fresh and sprightly. It starts out with an unpublished poem of Voltaire, and goes on with a very readable article by Gen. Garfield on "appropriations and misappropriations; another by Mrs. Stowe; another chapter on the Pacific railroad by Mr. Henry V. Poor, the distinguished compiler of railroad statistics; another chapter on the sacred books of the east by Max Muller, &c., &c.,—making a great amount of information in small space.

A paper published at Fayetteville, N. C., says, Capt. O. H. Blocker of the Revenue Department, stationed in New York, but now on duty for a short time in this state, succeeded in capturing two stills last Saturday night, 17th inst. They were situated in this county in a dense swamp, seven miles east of Fayetteville, and about a mile north of the Clinton road—near the premises of Isham Godwin. About nine hundred gallons of beer or mash were destroyed, but the stills and fixtures were preserved and brought to Fayetteville. The "moonshiners" themselves were not to be found, but the stills are supposed to have been in operation for three or four months. This is the first seizure of the kind made in the county since the enforcement of the revenue laws by the government.

SHIPPING COMMISSIONER.—For the information of those concerned we publish below the following law concerning shipping of seamen, &c. On page 870 of the Revised Statutes of the United States of 1878, sec. 5503 says: "In any port in which no Shipping Commissioner shall have been appointed, the whole or any part of the business of a Shipping Commissioner, shall be conducted by the Collector or Deputy Collector of Customs of such port; and in respect of such business such customs house, shall be deemed a shipping-office, and the Collector or Deputy Collector of Customs to whom such business shall be committed, shall, for all purposes be deemed a Shipping Commissioner within the meaning of this title."

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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

READ.

We stood at an open window  
Leaning far over the sill,  
And if something hadn't happened  
We might have stood there still;  
But we reached for a banging shutter  
In a blinding northeast breeze,  
So our friends will have to be invited  
To join in the obsequies.

IF WE COULD ONLY HAVE KNOWN  
What a storm was brewing in a teapot,<  
And how far off that shutter was, we should  
Never have ventured our head outside of  
that window; but it is too late for regrets  
now; we are nonplussed, completely  
squashed, have been sat upon, and our  
friends will generally be respectfully invited to attend the obsequies on

## SATURDAY NEXT

and we stake our reputation on its being  
the grandest funeral they ever witnessed.

As he slips he slides, and every time he  
slides he slips up most woefully. We leave  
our "kind friends" to find out the meaning  
of the above, and while they are doing so  
we will ask the following questions:

Haven't we the ugliest and dirtiest store in  
the State?

Haven't we the poorest stock of goods in  
Wilmington?

Haven't we made prices much higher than  
we commenced?

Haven't we been very unaccommodating  
and impolite to you?

Haven't we charged you for all he goods  
delivered?

Haven't we made a great many mistakes,  
and refused to correct them when our atten-  
tion was called thereto?  
All of our friends who answer "yes" to  
the above questions will please not buy from  
us any more. Respectfully and truly,

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ever done in Wilmington, we will in the  
future have to keep from being so tender  
hearted, and CUT DOWN PRICES a little  
more.

THE BLOODY CHASM HAS BEEN  
BRIDGED OVER.

THE LITTLE JOKERS are not quite  
gone.

A fine line of TOILET SOAPS re-  
ceived to-day, very low down.

THE OLD CAPE FEAR is flourishing  
and MARTELLE swimming.

We have been over and smoked that  
"Cigar of Peace" (a fine Havana it was), but  
still think it would be bad policy to stop  
carrying papers with our line literary  
productions, as they have the tendency to  
keep prices very low, which we, of course,  
with all other good grocers, desire; only  
want enough left to pay for clerk's hire,  
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promise the ladies that they would never  
find out there was any on the premises, as  
it must be taken elsewhere to be drunk.

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tice of our advertisements, especially  
by a fellow grocer, who was not surprised  
in the absence of our usual Sunday morning  
ad, on account of one of our friends having  
gone to New York Saturday night.  
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# THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.  
SUNDAY MORNING, MAY 25, 1879.

No interments in Oakdale Cemetery the past week.

One interment in Bellerue Cemetery for the past week.

Five women and nine men are confined in the county jail.

There was shipped from this port during the past week, 711,413 feet of lumber.

Two interments in Pine Forest Cemetery during the past week—1 adult and 1 child.

The steam tug McKinzo was burned to the water's edge at Georgetown, S. C., a few days ago.

Ten deeds, two mortgages and two chattel mortgages were probated by Stacy Van Amringe, Esq., during the past week.

There are 561 bales of cotton, 1,438 casks of spirits, 105,741 barrels of rosin, 3,003 do. turpentine, and 16,227 do. tar ashore and afloat at this port.

There were 86 bales of cotton, 287 barrels of spirits, 3,851 do. rosin, 25 do. crude turpentine, 60 do. tar and 80 do. pitch exported during the week.

Only 37 bales of cotton, 1963 barrels of spirits Turpentine, 7827 do. rosin, 1522 do. crude Turpentine and 848 do. tar received during the past week.

FLOWERS FOR MEMORIAL SERVICES.—Those who have flowers are requested to send them to the City Court Room by 2 o'clock Friday next. All should contribute for this purpose.

There are seventeen vessels including small traders in port flying the national colors and ten square riggers flying the colors of various nations.

There were nine arrivals, and six clearings of vessels during the week, the river steamers not included.

Germania Lodge, Knights of Pythias, completely surprised the Stenwall Lodge on Monday night last. The Germania boys knew the weakness of the Stenwall, and took a couple of larger beer howitzers along for bombarding purposes, and the result was a complete capture of the Stenwall's fortifications, which proved the wisdom of their taking the larger ordnance along, and from the manner in which the Stenwall enjoyed their surrender we judge they are willing to be captured whenever the Germanians feel like undertaking the job.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT.—News in Magistrate's circles during the past week has been exceedingly dull and uninteresting.

Peter Bloom who was suspected of robbing Mr. Samuel Blossom's residence on Saturday night last, situated on the Rocky Point road, about nine miles from this city; had a preliminary hearing before a Magistrate who sent him to jail in default of bond.

Township Justices have had before them persons who refused to work the public roads, but adjudicated the matter.

One colored woman was sent to jail for the payment of cost; in a case of assault and battery.

Laura Wood was arraigned before Justice Gardner on three charges, viz: assault, using profane and obscene language on the public highway to the scandal of good citizens, and peace warrant; the affidavits against the gentle and amiable Laura, were sworn out by Fanny Brewington; she was made to pay the costs in the first case, \$5 and costs in the second, and enter into a \$50 bond in the third.

MAYOR'S COURT.—Jas. Starkey and Thos. King both colored, were run in by the policeman Saturday night and were interviewed on Monday by his Honor the Mayor. The defendants were found in a recumbent position, having been thrown by that great wrestler, Jno. Barleycorn. Starkey is serving out ten days in the basement of the City Hall and King was discharged on account of never having wrestled before.

Tuesday there was but one case before his Honor. Same old charge, drunk and disorderly, and same old fine, \$10 or twenty days in prison.

Wednesday Beverly Scott, colored, was charged with abusing and cursing an officer in the discharge of his duty. As the evidence was conflicting the Mayor's decision was reserved.

Jno. Williams was deemed to be a dangerous citizen; he got on a high horse Wednesday night and carried a razor in his pocket. He intimidated the citizens of Pigeon Hill and tried the bulldozing game. He was fined \$20 or 20 days in the city prison, but as he was minus the requisite amount he is now sojourning in the city prison free of cost to himself.

Andrew J. Hogan and his brother Peter Hogan were caught in the act of stealing money and crockery from the Purcell House on Thursday night. They were suspected as having robbed Messrs. Cobb Brothers money drawer on two or three occasions and on the night they were captured a trap had been set for them which they stepped into, and are now languishing in the cold jail. They

were carried before his Honor Friday who after hearing the evidence ordered them to give a \$200 justified bond for their appearance at the next term of the Criminal Court, in default of which they were turned over to Dan Howard who furnished them with sk. parlors in the Hotel de Manning.

Yesterday there were no cases to claim the Mayor's attention.

## STATS ITEMS

The Blue Ridge Blade.—E. W. Sisk has cut a road to the top of table rock and will convey tourists to the top during the summer. It is only twelve miles from Morganton. John Ruthersford of Burke is 90 years old, but is in fair health and vigorous in brain.

Corn is worth 75 cents in Morganton, and wheat 1.25.

Capt. John A. Ramsay has been elected Mayor of Salisbury, beating Kerr Craig by two votes. Capt. Ramsay is a Republican.

Irredel county has been fenced in under the fence law.

John Heap, of Mitchell county, has the champion mule colt of the state. It will stand and kick at its shadow twenty five times a minute for twenty-five consecutive minutes.

The closing exercises of Greensboro Female College will take place on Wednesday and Thursday, May 28th and 29th. Literary address Wednesday at 11 o'clock, a. m., by Hon. Walter L. Steele, of Rockingham, N. C. Annual Sermon at 8 o'clock, p. m., by Rev. John E. Edwards, D. D., of Richmond, Va. Graduating exercises on Thursday at 10 o'clock, a. m. Concert at night at 8 o'clock.

William K. Upchurch of Raleigh, a prominent merchant, is dead.

The closing exercises of Simonton Female College will take place on the 30th. The Rev. Dr. Hepburn, President of Davidson College will deliver the address.

There is to be a miscegenation case before the next term of the U. S. Court at Raleigh. Habeas corpus.

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Wilmington Council No. 4, R. and O. M., meets 2d Monday in each month, at Masonic Hall.

Wilmington Commandery No. 1, K. T., meets 2d Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Hall.

## KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

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I. O. O. F. Cape Fear Lodge No. 2, meets every Tuesday evening.

Orion Lodge No. 17, meets every Wednesday evening.

Encampment No. 1, meets 1st and 3d Friday evening of each month.

Rebecca Lodge meets 1st and 3d Thursday evenings of each month.

Wilmington Degree Lodge meets 2d and 4th Thursday evening of each month.

## I. O. O. F.

North State Lodge No. 22, meet 1st and 3d Sunday in each month, at 3 o'clock p. m.

## ROYAL ARCADE.

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## WILMINGTON MARKETS.

May 17.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened and closed dull, at 25 1/2 cents per gallon for country packages, with sales reported of 100 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—The market opened firm at \$1.00 for Strained and \$1.05 for Good Strained. Sales of 5,000 bbls at better figures, but the particulars have not transpired. Also sales of 39 bbls fine rosins at \$2.50 for Extra No 1, \$3.00 for Low Pale, \$3.50 for Pale, and \$4.00 for Extra Pale.

TAR.—Market was steady at 82 1/2 cents per bbl, of 280 lbs. the receipts of the day being disposed of at that price.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.60 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, and \$2.10 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened firm, with small sales reported. The following are the official quotations:

Ordinary, 10 1/2 " " " "

Good Ordinary, 11 " " " "

Low Middling, 11 1/2 " " " "

Middling, 12 " " " "

Good Middling, 13 " " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 6 bales

Spirits Turpentine, 341 casks

Rosin, 1,268 bbls

Tar, 170 bbls

Crude turpentine, 165 bbls

May 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market for this article opened quiet at 26 cents per gallon for country packages, with sales reported later of 175 casks at 26 cents.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.05 for Strained and \$1.10 for Good Strained. Sales reported of 500 bbls. Strained at \$1.05 and 1200 do Good Strained at \$1.10. Also sales of 117 bbls fine rosins at \$2.75 for Low Pale and \$3.50 for Extra Pale.

TAR.—The market opened steady the receipts of the day being disposed of at 82 1/2 cents per bbl, of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.60 for Yellow Dip, and \$2.10 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened firm, but without reported sales. The following are the official quotations:

Ordinary, 10 1/2 " " " "

Good Ordinary, 11 " " " "

Low Middling, 11 1/2 " " " "

Middling, 12 " " " "

Good Middling, 13 " " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 21 bales

Spirits Turpentine, 99 casks

Rosin, 254 bbls

Tar, 5 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 123 bbls

May 20.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was quiet at 26 cents per gallon, for country packages, with sales reported of 675 casks at 25 1/2 cents, closing quiet at that figure.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.07 for Strained and \$1.12 for Good Strained. Sales reported of 500 bbls. Strained and Good Strained at \$1.10, and 10 do Low Pale to Pale at \$3.25 per bbl.

TAR.—Market for this article was steady, the receipts of the day being placed at 82 1/2 cents per bbl, of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady and unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.60 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, \$2.10 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article opened firm with small sales at the following official quotations:

Ordinary, 10 1/2 " " " "

Good Ordinary, 11 " " " "

Low Middling, 11 1/2 " " " "

Middling, 12 " " " "

Good Middling, 13 " " " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 10 bales

Spirits Turpentine, 439 casks

Rosin, 1,225 bbls

Tar, 128 bbls

Crude Turpentine, 246 bbls

May 21.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened quiet at 25 1/2 cents per gallon for country packages. Sales reported of 825 casks at 25 1/2 cents, the market closing quiet at that price.

ROSIN.—The market was firm at \$1.05 for Strained. Sales reported of 500 bbls Strained at \$1.71 and 500 do Good Strained at \$1.10. Also sales of 47 bbls Good Extra Pale at \$4.12, 13 do Window Glass at \$4.87, and a mixed lot of 71 bbls at \$3.00 for \$4.00 per bbl, and 10 do Low Pale to Pale at \$3.25 per bbl.

TAR.—Market steady and unchanged at 82 1/2 cents per bbl, of 280 lbs, at which the receipts of the day were sold.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market for this article was unchanged, the receipts of the day being placed at \$1.00 for Hard and \$1.60 for Yellow Dip and Virgin, and \$2.10 for new Virgin.

COTTON.—The market for this article was firm, with small sales reported at the following official quotations:

Ordinary, 12 " " " "

Good Ordinary,